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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

**TO BE MADE OF OFFICIAL RECORD**Enclosed in this transmission are:

(1 page)	This Transmittal Sheet
(1 page)	Communication
(2 pages)	Petition for One-Month Extension of Time including authorization to charge \$ 120.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0990, <u>plus one copy</u>
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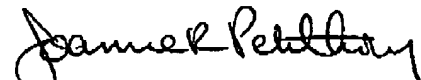
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FOR POLYPEPTIDE ENGINEERINGCOMMUNICATION  
ACCOMPANYING A PETITION  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIMECommissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a petition for a One-Month Extension of Time authorizing the Commissioner to charge the requisite fee pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-0990, effectively extending the period for response to the outstanding Office Action in the above-referenced application from November 24, 2005 through December 27, 2005 (since December 24, 2005 and December 25, 2005 fall on a weekend, and December 26, 2005 is a Federal Holiday).

Respectfully submitted,

  
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